



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Todd Allen Link, et al.  
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OPERATION OF MULTIPLE CUTTING DECKS OF A  
TRACTOR

Moline, IL 61265  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
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Response to August 18, 2006 Office Action

Sir:

In response to the August 18, 2006 Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.